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CAL FUEL COMMISSIONER.

Mr. James H. Thompson, Chair-

'Dear Sirs:-

"You are hereby advised that the Federal Fuel Commissioner of Kenmargins of profits on coal sold by preting the order issued January Instruct children to take these the city street cleaning dedealers in Paris and Bourbon 17, 1918, by the United States Fuel tags home January 30 and tie to County, viz:

"On coal delivered to the side- as well as the letter of the law. walk or cellar of the consumer, \$1.90 per ton; on coal taken by the consumer from the railroad car, \$1.25 per ton.

"Also you are advised of the following order issued by the Federal Fuel Commissioner of Kentucky:

"Due principally to the publicity given the shortage of coal and the difficulty experienced in providing for the requirements of all consumers, the situation has developed whereby consumers with coal anticipating a shortage in the near future are unnecessarily adding to their supplies. The hoarding of coal by the individual beyond his immediate necessities and the delivery of coal quantities beyond these actual neness in the distribution of coal, it has become necessary to put in operation a plan similar to that in efsending you a supply of declaration laration shall be kept on file by the confined in so far as possible to Sunday previous and no more. those in need of fuel and delivery prevented to consumers with sup-

"Enclosed herewith are the declaration forms which you will please use under the above instructions.

"Assuring you of our willingness to serve you and the citizens of this community, we are

"Very truly yours, "Bourbon County Fuel Commis-

"By J. H. Thompson, Chairman." In connection with the above the

should be referred:

"All complaints or applications for relief should be made to the chairman of the local committee. No action can be taken except upon its recommendation and report as outlined. This will be saved by addressing communications direct to the local committee. A shortage reported by a dealer or consumer may indicate nothing more than an irdividual and not a community shortage. Complaints or applications sent to the United States Fuel Administrator or the State Administrator will merely be referred to the local committee. This committee will make a thorough investigation and report its findings with recommendations, to the State Fuel Administrator. If the latter, by exerciving his authority, cannot get the relief to which the case is entitled, he will seek aid from Washington. The Fuel Administration cannot act except where the facts placed before it prove a general emergency, involving the whole community. Our duty is to assist the local committee and your duty is to educate the people in your county to communicate the State Administrator."

BILLIE BURKE IN "ARMS AND THE GIRT" TO-MORROW

Rut there are other Billie Burkes, new and fascinating Billie Burkes, fingers and was placed in Class A. whom we are meeting and getting He will not be called for some time fond of in her recent Paramount yet. nictures. In "Aarms and the Girl," her latest Paramount picture which Mr. and Mrs. Clarke Fritts, formerly will appear at the Alamo Theatre of Paris, who has been stationed at and Grand Opera House to-morrow Ft. Jefferson Barracks, Mo., on afternoon and evening, we meet a special duty, has been transferred to disheveled, smocked and wooden- another department. Mr. Fritts is a shoed Billie Burke, who is quite as grandson of the late Mr. John B. fascinating as the more sophisticat- Coulthard, who for years operated ed actress of her former produc- the old grist mill on the Coulthard tions. As to comfort, Miss Burke road, near Paris. He is a graduate declares that when women vote for of Georgetown College. When he a universal uniform, her vote shall received his appointment to army for the all-enveloping smock of service he was teacher of physics at the continentals—the Belgians and the University of Illinois, at Chamthe French.

COMMISSION ORDER

There has been so much discusman of the Bourbon County Fuel sion pro and con, concerning the a copy of the following letter, in tional Fuel Commission that the work. which the dealers are given explicit issue has become somewhat obscur- Also, receive the tags to be used Snow and ice continue to hold un fire from a gas stove. instructions regarding the disposi- ed. THE NEWS has obtained a is official and final.

The statement follows: tucky has fixed the following gross mission has endeavored, in inter-use his coal carefully.

> low, as sent us under official stamp where there are no school children, and fire hydrants of ice and snow from Mr. Wiley Bryan, of Louisville, itative and official:

"Manufacturing places ordered serving coal. with the Fuel Administrator in a thus work for freedom. patriotic and loyal manner, the committee does not feel that it is necessary to issue any special interpretation regarding the order issued for these five days.

"By executive order dated January 17, 1918, the United States Fuel Administration directed that no fuel should be used on Mondays, Januby the dealers in a community in ary 21, 28, February 4, 11, 18, 25, ble during the great emergency now Mr. Thomas Henry Clay, Jr., fell Mrs. Butler is survived by her cessities should be discouraged in lighting any building or room for every possible way. To insure fair- any business purpose wheatever, except offices used by the United States, State, county or municipal government, transportation compafect in other cities throughout the nies, banks, trust companies, physicountry. In this connection I am cians and dentists, and such as are used in connection with the producforms to be furnished the retail tion or distribution of fuel; also dealers with instructions to require wholesale and retail groceries, all purchasers of one ton or more which are allowed to open until 12 of coal to fill the same, which dec- o'clock noon, for the purpose of sale or food only. In this case is inretailer, subject to the inspection of cluded those persons handling food the Fuel Administration. It is ab- for stock; also transportation comsolutely encessary that this be done panies are allowed to use fuel to the at once in order that coal may be extent that same was used on the SCHOOLS NOT INCLUDED IN

> "No fuel whatever is to be used in any other business which is open for business during the twenty-four hours beginning at 12 o'clock Sunday night and ending at 12 o'clock Monday night.

not sold.

"Where a building is not open for business, fuel may be burned in sufficient quantity only to prevent injury to property from freezing; also printers and publishers of daily following extract from a letter to newspapers may burn fuel to such Mr. Thompson by Mr. Wiley B. an extent as is necessary to issue Bryan, of Louisville, Federal Fuel such editions as such paper custo-Administrator for Kentucky, will marily issues on important national legal holidays, and where such paplaints regarding a coal shortage pers do not issue any edition on a holiday they are permitted to issue one edition on said Monday.

"For the purpose of selling drugs and medical supplies only, drug stores may maintain necessary heat throughout the day and evening.

"Theatres, moving picture houses, bowling alleys, private and public dance halls or any other places of amusement may open Mondays. On Tuesdays these places are forbidden to use fuel or light inside or out-

"All laundries are exempt from the closing order on Mondays as well as the five-day closing period. "THE BOURBON COUNTY FUEL COMMITTEE,

"By James H. Thompson, Chairman.

"John T. Hinton, "Jno. T. Collins, "Samuel Clay,

"Dr. C. C. Fisher, "-Committee." **B B B** ·

IN THE SERVICE.

Mr. Miller Casey, of Paris, grandson of Mrs. Bettie McIlvaine, left last week for Ft. Still, in Nebraska, where he will enter the service of with you instead of directly with the United States in the cavalry training camp.

Mr. Clay Kiser, of Paris, who came home from the big Spears ranche, near Alberta, Canada, for Billie Burke and frills belong to- examination for army service, regether even as apple pie and cheese. turned yesterday to Canada. Mr. Kiser had suffered the loss of two

Mr. E. Coulthard Fritts, son of

paign, Ill.

TEACHERS FOR "TAG-YOUR-SHOVEL DAY."

Commission, has sent each coal provisions of the fuel saving order 1918, and receive your quota of for several days previous. Ther-fatally burned about the face, duced a bill for the registration for dealer in Paris and Bourbon county recently promulgated by the Na- Farm Census blanks for the above mometers in various localities yes- head and body early yesterday military duty of all men who have

State Fuel Commissioner, is author- of the greatest services we can rendered done last week by the department. and physicians summoned, who apder toward winning the war is con-

J. B. CAYWOOD, County Superintendent.

BOURBON COUNTY.

County Fuel Commission to serve Ohio Valley. the community in every way possi- Twenty-five fat hogs belonging to lehem pike, near Paris. March 4, 11, 18, 25, for heating or existing on account of the fuel victims to the extreme cold last husband, Mr. Grover Butler; two

due to the fact that the dealers' the hands went to feed the hogs he Roy Clifford, of Millersburg. profit is limited by the Government found them frozen to death. sold in larger quantities.

JAS. H. THOMPSON.

bon County.

GARRFIELD'S FUEL EDICT.

Is Still Here, and

You Must Have

WARM CLOTHING

To Keep Comfortable

Whether it is an Overcoat

or a Suit of Clothes that

you need, we can supply

your wants. We are show-

ing some mighty good val-

\$15.00

\$18.00

\$20.00

Clothing with good weight

and good dependable wool

cloth. Let us fit you in a

Suit or Overcoat now, as

and it is money saved to buy now.

feet when you wear these shoes.

ues in Men's Suits at

J. B. CAYWOOD,

— WE KNOW MØW -

OLD KING WINTER

the prices are much lower than they will be next winter,

Woolen Underwear

and the

Duofold Health Underwear

You you will find here in separate garments and union

suits. Try a pair of Dr. Reed's Cushion Shoes. No cold

MITCHELL & BLAKEMORE

COAL DEALERS HEAR FROM LO- CORRECT TEXT OF THE FUEL FARM CENSUS BLANKS FOR THE WEATHER MAN STILL GO- FATALLY BURNED BY CLOTHES BOYS COMING OF AGE NEXT TO ING STRONG.

Weather conditions in this section Pllease call at the County Super- are practically unaltered, zero tem- one, wife of Mr. Grover Butler, men, Chairman Chamberlain, of the intendent's office before January 24, perature prevailing yesterday and the Main street liveryman, was Senate Military Committee, intro-

in "Tag-Your-Shovel-Day" cam- interrupted sway, and the Weather Mrs. Butler had just finished into effect. paign Jan. 30, 1918. On this day Bureau holds out no hope of relief. breakfast, her husband having gone tion of coal which comes to the markets:

Thompson, Chairman of the Bourbard (Paris, Ky., Jan. 17, 1918.

The statement from Mr. James H. tags representing a shovel and bearbard (County roads are in slightly better to the stable, and was standing with the stable, and was standi

Commission, to construe the spirit the family coal shovel, arranging the vast accumulation of snow last short distance away, but fell in the tion of men who have become 21 to have volunteers from among the week. The men worked with a will snow. Neighbors and Mr. Butler years of age since the draft law was "The information contained be- pupils tag the shovels in homes cleaning approaches to sewer inlets hearing her screams, ran to her as-The shovel tag will be a constant Main street is now in a passable the flames with a heavy blanket reminder before the family that one condition, thanks to the good work Mrs. Butler was taken to her home men who have become of age since

closed on January 18, 19, 20, 21 and All this work is going to require the telephone system in the county 22, are obeying the order and are some time, but I am sure that you back in shape again. Farmers showing such a desire to co-operate will feel glad of the opportunity to throughout the county have filled their ice houses with fourteen-inch by the physicians.

> Temperatures far below the sea-TO THE COAL CONSUMERS OF are forecast for the territory east lieve her sufferings. She lingered War Department has adopted the of the Mississippi affected by the It is the desire of the Bourbon is now being experienced in the taken to the home of her father-in-

Due to the great expense of de- in shelter, on the farm, but the bon county, and Mrs. Wm. Hitch, of livering coal in small quantities and cold was too severe. When one of Millersburg, and one brother, Mr.

we would urge all persons who pur- The extreme cold has played the residence of Mr. W. O. Butler, chase coal in small quantities to go hayor with potatoes stored in cel-to the coal yards and make their own lars. One farmer residing on the o'clock to-morrow (Wednesday) deliveries. In doing so they secure Georgetown pike had 1,500 bushels morning, conducted by Rev. R. C. coal at the same price at which it is of potatoes stored in his cellar. Goldsmith, pastor of the Paris Bap-The whole lot was frozen, making a tist church. The interment will folcomplete loss. Another farmer lost low in the Paris Cemetery. Chairman Fuel Commission of Bour- six hundred bushels, which were frozen and rendered absolutely worthless as food.

____ LETTERS FROM FRANCE.

ing if Dr. Garfield's order to observe craft, from their son, Lieut. R. B. Monday as a holiday for next 10 Hutchcraft, Jr., who is somewhere weeks applied to the public schools? in France with the American Expe-In reply will say that I have just ditionary Force under command of talked to Supt. V. O. Gilbert in re- General Pershing. The letters are "This order does not apply to ho- gard to same and he says that it in Lieut. Hutchcraft's usual entertels and restaurants where liquor is does not apply to the public schools, taining style and relate in graphic way his experiences and impres-Superintendent. sions of the army life in France.

CATCHING FIRE.

Mrs. Grover Butler, aged twenty-

children. Like the proverbial county precenicts are enabled to and in a minute her clothing was a "string around the finger to re-reach Paris." sistance, her husband smothering Workmen are gradually getting plied first-aid-to-the-injured remodies. Mrs. Butler's body was badly Provost Marshal General Crowder as burned, particles of flesh adhering one of the means by which a supply to the blanket when it was removed of men for the National Army might

The Davis ambulance was summoned, and Mrs. Butler removed to the Provost Marshal General pointthe Massie Memorial Hospital, ed out, by extending the age limits sonal averages during the four days where every effort was made to re above the present line of 31. The in intense agony until two o'clock, first suggestion. It is estimated that fuel restriction area. Intense cold when death came. The body was law, Mr. W. O. Butler, on the Beth-

week. The animals had been placed sisters, Mrs. A. Toadvine, of Bour- 29, at 2 p. m.

Funeral services will be held at

RURAL MAIL CARRIERS HAD THEIR TROUBLES.

Several teachers have called ask- Paris by Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Hutchsome of the experiences that beful his house would conscientiously ob-

> All of the carriers on the eight routes out the Paris postoffice reported they had a great deal of trouble in making their trips last week. In some places the snow was so deep that they were compelled to leave the road and make a detour through fields in order to get over their routes. One of the carriers, Mr. John Spears, on rural route 1, had four fingers frozen in the performance of duty serving patrons on his route.

attempts to keep up their schedule

On the whole, the patrons of the eight rural routes were well taken care of by the carriers, who braved the elements and personal discomforts in performing their duties. The patrons of these routes should bear with patience such delays as may occur during this weather, as their service.

GERMAN ALIENS MUST REGIS-ISTER AT ONCE.

Upon Chief of Police Fred Link will develop the duty of registering any German aliens who may be ir Paris or Bourbon county. Chief Link is in receipt of a copy of the general rules and regulations prescribed by the Attorney-General of the United States, which covers the registration of alien enemies. The instructions issued by Chief Link to alien enemies of German birth in the working of the fire alarm sys-Bourbon county, are as follows:

of the United States, this is to notify tower bell on the roof of the fire all natives, citizens, denizens or department, which has been out of subjects of the German Empire or commission for some time, was placof the Imperial German Govern- id in good working order last week, ment, being males of the age of 14 and the alarm system given a genand upwards, who are within the eral overhauling. In order to test United States and not actually nat- its workings, the Mayor pulled uralized as American citizens that Box 18, at Seventh and Main. The they are required to register as such department responded in good time liens in the manner provided by and satisfied the Mayor that they law, full details will be published were on the job to the minute, day generally as news items in the daily or night.

"The place of registration will be at the Engine House in City Hall on High street.

"The time of registration and date thereof are as follows: Beginnig at ruary 4, 1918, and continue each day between the hours of 6:00 a. m. an d8 p. m., up to and including incendiary origin, and ascribed by February 9, 1918, on which day the authorities to a German plot on

"FRED LINK, "Chief of Police, Paris, Ky."

At the request of the War Departterday registered eight below zero. | morning, when her clothing caught become 21 years old since June 5, 1917, when the draft law went

Another bill which Senator Cham-

Another bill would put the quota member by," these will act as a con- Mayor January and City Foreman woman ran screaming into the of the States on the basis of avail-"The Bourbon County Fuel Com- stant reminder of the householder to Mallaney did splendid work with street, first going to the home of able men in the first class instead

In determining upon the registraenacted the War Department has rejected any plan to raise the age limits of the draft to take men more than 31 years old. Registration of the draft law was enacted was recommended in the recent report of be assured without taking those who might have others dependent upon them. It could be done also, it will add about 700,000 men to the draft available each year.

TURN TO PAGE FOUR.

Read about the auction sale of my residence on Tuesday, January

WITHERS DAVIS.

TOBACCO SALES TO RESUME TO-MORROW.

Tobacco sales will be resumed on the breaks at both the local tobacco warehouses to-morrow. A meeting of the Tobacco Board of Trade was held Saturday to debate the matter of reopening. Several were in favor of opening yesterday, but after discussion, it was decided to wait until Wednesday.

Mr. John T. Collins, manager of the Bourbon Tobacco Warehouse How would you like to be a rural Company, opposed the motion to rerve the fuel mands, and that there would be no sales at the Bourbon and Paris Warehouses until Wednesday.

Large consignments of tobacco were received at both houses yesterday, ready for the sales to-morrow. A large number of farmers have been bringing their tobacco to the market on sleds.

SUSPECTED AUTO THIEVES.

Chief of Police Link is in posses sion of a 1916 Model seven-passenger Studebaker touring car, for Other carriers made unsuccessful which he is endeavoring to find an owner. Chief Link secured the car while arresting two negro men on a charge of stealing valuable fur buggy robes.

Two robes, one belonging to Mr. John Wiggins, the other to Mr. Mr. Charlton Alexander, were stolen from a local stable not long ago by sneak thieves. The trail in the search for the culprits finally led to two negroes, Elmer Redd and Lester they are inevitable, and they should Douglas, who were placed under arconsider themselves fortunate in rest and lodged in jail. Both mea having such a good class of men at confessed. The automobile was also a part of their loot. The mea claimed to have bought the machine in Indianapolis. Chief Link took charge of the machine, and is endeavoring to locate the owner. The rugs were recovered by the Chief and returned to their owners. --

Fire, Wind and Lightning Insurance. Thomas, Woodford & Bryan. — m m m —

MAKE A TEST RUN.

Mayor January made a test of tem Saturday morning by sending "By order of the Attorney General in an alarm from Box 18. The big

B-4 FIRE Insure with W.O. HINTON & SON, Agts

6:00 a. m. on the morning of Feb SWIFT PACKING PLANT AT RIO JANEIRO BURNED.

Fire, supposed to have been of said registration shall cease at 8:00 evidence, destroyed the big plant of the Swift Packing Company, at Rio Janeiro, Brazil, Saturday. The loss is estimated at \$500,000.